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doing your amendment?

SENATOR COORDSEN: Him or me?

SENATOR CUDABACK: You, Senator.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Okay, thank you, Mr. President. LB 600, as we talked about at some length yesterday, is a bill that, if adopted, would create a system with...under which agriculture property in the state of Nebraska, whether it was irrigated, dryland or grassland, would be valued upon its innate ability to produce income.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Coordsen. Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Coordsen now offers AM2934. (Legislative Journal pages 755-758.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Coordsen, you're recognized to open on that amendment.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Thank you, Mr. President. Members of the body, this amendment is similar to but certainly not like the amendment we talked about at some length yesterday. This amendment primarily replaces Section 11 and 12 in the committee amendment, AM1916, with clearer language as to how the valuation system is to be put in place. This language is identical to the language that was presented in...in the amendment yesterday. To that extent, it is, that part of this amendment, is totally devoted to the process. It makes some changes in AM1916, which is the form of the bill now, that came to my attention after the committee amendment was developed. Various and sundry people pointed out that if we made this change it would work better; if we made that change it would make...work better, or what does this mean, and so definitions were included. This actually doesn't change AM1916, to the best of my knowledge, in any way that would produce a different result. It retains the same three-year period. It retains the same sources it does do. It extends the date of implementation out one year, which is what we talked about yesterday. It adds in the allocated landowners' expenses two categories, and this is always what happens when